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Applicant: Stanislav I. Ionov) Examiner: Mooney, Michael
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For: "Method and Apparatus) Our Ref: B-4558 621547-5
for Optical Top-Hat Pulse..) Date: May 4, 2006
) Re: *Response*

RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Ex parte Quayle Official Action dated March 23, 2006.

Specification amendments begin on Page 2 of this Response and Claim Amendments begin on Page 3 thereof. Applicant's Remarks, which are made without prejudice, begin on Page 13 of this Response.